GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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DOWRY PROHIBITION ACT AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ACT, 2006
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the status of achievement of objectives in respect of Dowry Prohibition Act, 2000 and the Domestic Violence (Prohibition) Act, 2006;

(b) the number of cases lodged under the said Acts during each of the last three years, State-wise; and

(c) the action taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a),(b)&(c) The number of cases reported, persons chargesheeted, persons convicted etc. during 2003 to 2005 under the Dowry Prohibition Act 1961, as per the information compiled by National Crime Records Bureau, Ministry of Home Affairs is shown in the Annexure.

The Bureau does not presently have information under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 since the Act came into force only on 26.10.2006.